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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Akio SATO et al.

Group Art Unit: 3742

Application No.: 10/550,024

Examiner: S. HEINRICH

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Docket No.: 125412

For: POWDER METAL CLADDING NOZZLE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the October 6, 2008 Office Action, and the November 18, 2008 personal interview, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.